UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE AT CHATTANOOGA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA)	
)	
V.)	Case No. 1:20-cr-011-CLC-SKL
DANIEL ROBERTS)	

<u>ORDER</u>

Magistrate Judge Susan K. Lee filed a report and recommendation recommending the Court: (1) grant Defendant's motion to withdraw his not guilty plea to Count One, Count Twelve, and Count Fourteen of the twenty-one-count Superseding Indictment; (2) accept Defendant's plea of guilty to the lesser-included offense of the charge in Count One, which is the offense of conspiracy to distribute and possess with intent to distribute 5 grams or more of methamphetamine (actual) and 50 grams or more of a mixture and substance containing a detectable amount of methamphetamine, and to Count Twelve and Count Fourteen; (3) adjudicate Defendant guilty of the lesser-included offense of the charge in Count One, which is the offense of conspiracy to distribute and possess with intent to distribute 5 grams or more of methamphetamine (actual) and 50 grams or more of a mixture and substance containing a detectable amount of methamphetamine, and to Count Twelve and Count Fourteen; (4) defer a decision on whether to accept the amended plea agreement until sentencing; and (5) find Defendant shall remain in custody until sentencing in this matter. (Doc. 225.) Neither party filed a timely objection to the report and recommendation. After reviewing the record, the Court agrees with Magistrate Judge Lee's report and Accordingly, the Court ACCEPTS and ADOPTS the report and recommendation. recommendation (Doc. 225) pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1) and **ORDERS** as follows:

(1) Defendant's motion to withdraw his not guilty plea to Count One, Count Twelve,

and Count Fourteen of the Superseding Indictment is **GRANTED**;

(2) Defendant's plea of guilty to the lesser-included offense of the charge in Count

One, which is the offense of conspiracy to distribute and possess with intent to

distribute 5 grams or more of methamphetamine (actual) and 50 grams or more of

a mixture and substance containing a detectable amount of methamphetamine, and

to Count Twelve and Count Fourteen is **ACCEPTED**;

(3) Defendant is hereby **ADJUDGED** guilty to the lesser-included offense of the

charge in Count One, which is the offense of conspiracy to distribute and possess

with intent to distribute 5 grams or more of methamphetamine (actual) and 50

grams or more of a mixture and substance containing a detectable amount of

methamphetamine, and to Count Twelve and Count Fourteen;

(4) A decision on whether to accept the amended plea agreement is **DEFERRED** until

sentencing; and

(5) Defendant **SHALL REMAIN** in custody until sentencing in this matter, which is

scheduled to take place on January 20, 2021, at 2:00 p.m. before the undersigned.

SO ORDERED.

ENTER:

/s/

CURTIS L. COLLIER

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE